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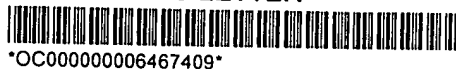
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Responsive to the attached U.S. Patent and Trademark Office "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" mailed August 24, 2001, Applicants are submitting herewith one (1) executed Declaration for filing in the cited patent application, along with the required fee of \$130.00 for late filing of the Declaration and the required fee of \$920.00 for a three-month extension of time fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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